## THE COURTS.

A Decision in Bankruptcy-Charge of Smuggling-A Reminiscence of the Late War-The Viele Divorce Suit-Application for a Writ of Error-Decisions-Business in the General Sessions.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT-IN BANKRUPTCY.

A Decision in Equity-Alleged Fraud e

Creditors.

Edward Benjamin vs. Benjamin A. Simonson and Others-In this case Judge Blatchford has rendered the following decision: "Independently of the allegations in the bill as to a conspiracy between Simonson, O'Connor and Marsh, in regard to the notes for \$30,000, there are sufficient allegations in the bill that the bankrupts suffered their property to be taken on the judgment recovered by Simonson and O'Connor, respectively, with a view to prefer them and to pre-vent such property from coming to the assignee with a view to prefer them and to prevent such property from coming to the assignee in bankruptey, and from being distributed under the Eankraphey act, and to defeat the object of said act, and to impair, insert, impede and delay its operation and effect and to evade its provisions, and that the bankrupts were insolvent and acting in contemplation of insolvency at the time that the bankrupts were insolvent and o'Comor, severally, had reasonable cause to believe at the time that the bankrupts were insolvent and acting in contemplation of insolvency, and were suffering the seatures and sales of the property to be made with such view. Such allegations are adequate, it sustained by the proof, to enable the assignce of the bankrupts to obtain the relief assked in this suit under the thirty-filth and thirty-ninh sections of the act. The proof fully sustains such allegations. The insolvency of the bankrupts and their intent to prefer simenson and O Comor, the proof brings questioned. As to O'Comor, the proof brings nome to him personally knowledge of such facts prior to the 12th of April, 1858, in regard to the pecuniary and business cendition of the bankrupts, as to lead to the conclusion that he had on that day, which was the day of the levy under each execution, reasonable cause to believe that the bankrupts were insolvent, and that a fraud on the act was intended by them in suitering him to procure a preference by his levy. The same conclusion is proved as to Simonson personally. In addition to that, Simonson is cnarged with the knowledge possessed by his attorney, which was ample as to all the particulars masking up the fraudulent preference.

The oil is not open to the objection of multifariousness. Bills of this kind are consumity sustained to avoid multiplicity of suits and surpress litigation. There is a single fund, the proceeds of the bankrupts desired in bankrupts defined to avoid multiplicity of suits and surpress litigation. There is a single fund, the proceeds of the particular of the more property in t in bankruptcy, and from being distributed under the

## UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS' COURT. Charge of Smuggling.

Before Commissioner Shields.

The United States vs. Collins and Talbot.—The sefendants, who had been charged with smuggling and obstructing a revenue officer in the discharge of his duty, under the circumstances stated in the HERALD of yesterday, have been held by the Commissioner in \$500 bail each to await the action of the Grand Jury.

SUPREME COURT-CHAMBERS.

A Reminiscence of Our Late War-How the Government Trents Its Sworn Officers-A United States Marshal Sued and Left in the Lurch for Obeying Orders.

A. W. Pairie vs. Robert Murray.—This was a mo-tion to vacate an order appointing William Apgar a receiver of the property of the defendant. It appeared from the papers on the part of the defendant that in 1862, while United States Marshal of the dis War to arrest, during the existence of the rebellion war to arrest, during the existence of the rebellion, all persons in his district charged with discouraging volunteer enlistments, and other disloyal practices. The plaintiff, who resided at Cairo, in the county Greene, was reported to the Marshal as being one of those engaged in the prohibited business. In 1862 Patrie was arrested by Murray's order and imprisoned in Fort Lafayette. He alterwards gave bah and was released. He subsequently commenced a civil sait in Greene county against the Marshal and his assistant, Buckly, for assault and battery and laise imprisonment. On the trial of the suit plaintiff recovered a judgment for \$5,000. Under the act of Congress, 1863, Murray, by writ of error, took the case to the Supreme Court of the United States, which decided that the section of the net authorizing the review by the United States Court of a judgment after trial by jury in the State court was unconstitutional, and the judgment of the civil court was therefore affirmed. In 1864, and before the case went through the United States Court, Patrie took criminal proceedings and caused Murray to be indicted by the Grand Jury of Greene county for assault and battery and false imprisonment. The papers further showed that an execution was assued on the original judgment, and returned unsalisfied, upon which supplementary proceedings were taken against Murray, on which Wil ham Apgar was appointed by Judge Brady as receiver. It further appeared that Apgar was, or had been for several year, a clerk in the office of the connsel for pialntiff (Patries, and that he was conducting his receivership in the interests and at the instigation of the connsel for the biaintiff or his a torney, and that he was a prejudiced and biassed officer. Plaintiff finding that he was unable to collect his judgment from Murray, in 1871 caused the District Attorney of Greene county, in 1871 caused the District Attorney of Greene county to issue a bench warrant on the indictment to arrest and bring Murray to the indictment, it further appeared, a all persons in his district charged with discouraging volunteer enlistments, and other disloyal practices r his removal. The plaintif denied most of these allegations. Mr.

The bining denied most of these sulegamons, An., Samuel G. Courtney argued the case yesterday on benail of the defendant, Murray, but had not concluded when the Court rose. Mr. Griswold, of Greene county, appeared for the plaintiff. Argument in the case will be resumed this morning.

By Judge Barnard.

Pacific Insurance Company vs. Philip Lucy et al.-Motion granted, George A. Phillips et al. es. William Muir et al. Motion granted and reference ordered. Thomas McGrath vs. John Williams,-Motion

Thomas S. Sedgerick vs. John A. C. Gray et al. Motion granted and reference ordered. Julius Schmidt vs. William Robertson.-Reference ordered.

By Judge Carlozo.

George W. Schwager vs. Maria L. Schwager.—
Report of referee confirmed and judgment of divorce

Report of referee confirmed and jacques. E. H. Slokes granted.

One da National Bank of Utica vs. E. H. Slokes et al.—Motion denied, without costs.

E. W. Pierce et al. vs. Et as Bliss.—Motion denied.

Fifth National Bank vs. C. G. Water bury et al.—

Motion granted. Default opened on payment of ten dollar costs.

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Middlesez Quarry Company cs. John Adair.—
Motion denied, without costs and without preju-

Kitta Giffenning es, Charles Giffenning et al.—
dotton denied, without costs.

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Benjamin 8. Tuylor is, Edward Brock, Jr.—Mo-A. J. Neafle vs. Julia Battersby .- Motion de-

John A. J. Nedfle vs. Julia butter of the state of the st By Judge van Brunt-Circuit Cases.
Wilsom E. Howelt es, D. D. Gegerman.

SUPREME COURT-TRIAL TERM-PART I.

The Viele Divorce Suit-Another Postponement Sought For—Decision Thereon to be Delivered To-Morrow Moralus. Before Judge Van Brunt.

In the Supreme Court yesterday morning, before Judge Van Brunt, the trial was to have commenced of a divorce suit, in which Egberi L. Viele is the plainting and Teresa Viele the defendant. The defengant ap hed for an adjournment until the next term, and after long argument the Judge adjourned the further hearing until to-morrow morning at half-past ten o'clock.

The court was crowded with a deeply interested auditory, as the parties in the cause move in the highest circles of society in the country. The application for postponement was a surprise to plaintiff's counsel, inasmuch as it was supposed to be finally settled in court on Monday morning that yesterday should mark the commencement of the trial.

Mr. E. Delaneld Smith, who appeared for Mrs. Viele, stated that unexpectedly it had been found that several of the defendant's witnesses, including Dr. Fordyce Barker, had left the city and State on the presumption that the cause would go over until next term. In the case of Dr. Barker, who had very important medical evidence to give, it was of the highest importance to Mrs. Viele that there should be an opportunity given of a personal examination of the doctor under eath. The names of several other witnesses were mentioned, including General Pleasonton, as being absent from the city. Mr. Smith arged the motion very strongly, and supported it by the production of several affidavits.

Mr. Ira Shafer and his associate counsel argued against the motion was not made in good latta, and that the evidence of the witnesses, whose absence was said to be an impediment in the way of a fair trial, had already given evidence in the habeas corpus case, and that their testimony could be produced.

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SUPREME COURT-GENERAL TERM. Penalty of Playing the Role of Police Detec

tive. Before Judges Ingraham, Barnard and Cardozo.

Henry McCord vs. The People.—It will be remem-bered that the plaintin was, in June, 1870, convicted in the Court of General Sessions upon an indictment for false pretences, and sentenced for three years to State Prison. The alleged false pretences were that State Prison. The alleged false pretences were that he was an officer attached to the bureau of Captain Young's department of detectives; that he had a warrant, issued by Judge Hogan, for the arrest of Charies C. Miller upon complaint of one Henry Bruker, and that the said Brinker had promised him \$200 for the arrest of Miller. The case came up yesterday on a writ of error, the allegation being that the indictment was defective. There was quite a prolonged argument, when the Court affirmed the judgment of the lower court.

Don't Relish Doing the State Ten Years' Ser-Henry N. Gerton vs. The People.—In December ast the plaintiff was convicted of perjury in the Court of General Sessions, and sentenced to the State Prison for ten years. The alleged perjury was committed before a referee in the Gowan givorce suit. A revisal of the judgment was asked for on the ground of manifest errors in the record, as well as errors of law upon the trial. After a lengthy argument the Court reserved its decision.

> SUPERIOR COUNT-SPECIAL TERM. Decisions.

By Judge Monell. Mary E. Dickey vs. Moritz Dinkelspell.-Order lenying motion.

George A. Ecans vs. Edward L. Corlies. - Reference ordered.

William H. Groesbeck vs. Jacob H. Groesbeck.—
Order granted.

Garry R. Alyea vs. Frederick S. Freese.—Same.
Charles C. Howard vs. Henry A. Smith.—Same.

MARINE COURT-PART L Decisions.

By Judge Alker. King vs. Stevens-Dismissed, with costs and \$2 allowance to defendant. Young vs. Woodman-Dismissed.

By Judge Tracy.

Renton vs. Holland—Judgment for plaintiff.

Perkins vs. Freese—The undertaking in this case is insufficient.

Bishop vs. Learche—Judgment for plaintiff for

MARINE COURT-PART 3.

Decisions. By Judge Gross.

Amos T. Learned vs. William H. Farnham and Others .- Judgment for plaintiff against the defendants for \$166 and costs, with twenty-five dollars allowance.

Sigfried Willershausen and Others vs. James Mace and Others.—Judgment for the plaintifs against the defendants for \$263 75 and costs and twenty-five dollars allowance.

Hugh Curry vs. Daniel C. Van Norman—Trial by court. Decision reserved.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

Before Recorder Hackett, LARCENIES.

Yesterday Joseph Early was tried and convicted of being in complicity with another man who, on the 18th of May, stole a piece of beaver cloth from the store of Stanfield & Co., Worth street. Early re sorted to the old dodge of engaging the attention of the porter at an early hour in the morning, while his confederate came in and stole the property. The Recorder sent the prisoner to the State Prison for four years and six months.

Adolph Walter pleaded guilty to steeling a silver vatch and other property, worth in all thirty-eight dollars, from Hermann Marks, on the 6th inst.

Patrick Sheridan, who, on the 4th instant, stole silver watch from William Clohesey, pleaded guilty to larceny from the person.

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BIGAMY.

Jeremiah A. Kennedy picaded guilty to the charge of bigamy. On the 25th of February, 1888, the defendant was married to Rosanna Haipin by the assistant pastor of St. Marry's church, and was again married on the 25th of April. 1871, by the pastor of the Willett street Methodist church, to a young lady from Williamsburg. Counsel for the defendant said that the second marriage took place when he was under the influence of drink, but no further harm was done to the young lady than the performance of the ceremony. The second wife had a conference with the Recorder, and pleaded for lemency on the first wife's account. His Honor refused to let Kennedy go, on the ground that, if disposed, he could injure the "second wife" hereafter. Sentence was postponed till Friday.

William Fisher, who was charged with burgariously entering the restaurant of John G. Weber, 62 Maiden lane, on the 5th of May, was acquitted.

Michael Werner, a youth, was tried upon a charge of violating the person of Eliza Ann Dale, a little girl, eleven years old, on the 25th of April. He was convicted, but recommended to mercy. The Recorder sand that had the prisoner been an adult he would have sent him to the State Prison for twenty years. His Honor imposed the lowest penalty the law allowed, which was imprisonment in the Penitentary for five years.

Thomas Jackson was charged by Daniel Brown with pointing a pistor at him on the 10th inst. The parties were colored men, and the complainant, who suffered no injury, was permitted to withdraw the charge, and the jury rendered a verdict of not guilty.

An Englishman Roised by Sharens, George English, who was jointly in licted with John Thomas, was tried and convicced of grand larceny by trick and device. The complainant, James Sievens, who had arrived in New York from English of the lift of April was met by Thomas at one of the pi

arrested English and Thomas together ten days afterward.

The defendant, English, went upon the stand and swore that he was in Cieveland, Onto, on the 15th of April, and that he had given the names of two persons who saw nim there to his counsel. The jury rendered a vertical of guilty without leaving their seats, Mr. Peilows having summer up the testimony in an earnest and telling speech. After the rendition of the vertical he informed the Court that he had satisfactory testimony that English was a man of bad character. At the request or counsel the Recorder postponed the senience till July. The wife and two interesting little girls of English occupied seats beside him during the trial. Thomas was convicted in the

Louis Herschfield et al. vs. Seacor et al.—Case set. Over and Terminer and sent to the State Prison for

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS. Robbing an Emigrant-Chatham Street in

Consternation-Disorderly Houses Broker Up. Before Judge Shandley.

The calendar at this court yesterday was a light one and the proceedings in the early part were very uninteresting to those who had come to only the spectacle. A young last from the northern shore of Ireland came upon the stand and stated that Mary O'Neil, a compatriole, who stood behind the railing, had stolen three dresses from her. She told a plain unvarnished tale of her late arrive; upon these hospitable shores and how she fared in the lodging where she took up her tempe, rary dwelling.

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A TEMPORARY ABBRICE,
and purioined the wardrobe of herself and offspring. The indignant Mary answered in reply
that it was a spateful trick concocted to rum her.
She was a respectable married woman, and so had
all her relations been since the foundation of the
family. The domestic history of this branch of the
O'Nelis had no effect upon the presiding Judge, for
he recommended Mary

A CHANGE OF RESTING PLACE
from the lodging house in Spring street to the
workhouse at the State's charge, and the last of the
branch of the O'Nelis was sent below. Varying the
complexion of the scape and to rive the light and
shadow more effect, Captain Kennedy, of the sixth
precinct, brought up a man and his wile for keeping
a house of evil rejutation at 87 Park street, which
was a nulsance in the neighborhood, and which
the citizens in that district were very anxious
to get rid of. A number of witnesses were
cailed to show that the building was used
as a tenement house, but they falled
to make a good case of it, and the prisoners were
remanded for sentence. Following up the strain on
THESE INFAMOUS DENS;
another case of a similar nature came from 113
Chatham street, but the man who was arrested in
this cause denied being the proprietor and escaped.
It appeared from the evidence he brought in to support his statement that he was only acting as agent
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Nellie Smith was charged by Kate Anderson with stealing a gold ring, and brought Ida Hudson into court to support the charge. Ida's voice if voice it may be called) is not one of the most melodious that could strike the ear. It is, in fact, a cracked voice, and so badly cracked that it hardly emits any sound. This young lady endeavored to show that she saw the ring in the possession of the prisoner while they both went to a pawnbroker's on Sunday to procure a little loan upon it. Ida completely broke down, however, at being obliged to admit that she was a little off color on that day and
LIKELY TO SEE THINGS
that had no actual occurrence in real life. Her friend at the bar was discharged because the officer who made the arrest proved that the witness' story had no foundation in fact. Still another, in the complexion of affairs, this time, in color—an elegantly dressed young lady, who resides in Bond street, and who daintly picked her way through the court until she reached the stand in front of the judge's desk. Almost simultaneously with this lady's appearance on the witness stand, a quiet-looking colored woman was led in from the dock, a case of mistress and maid undoubtedly, and so it proved. The mistress explained, when she had embraced the book, that the maid there present had stolen her purse. The maid, in reply, stated that although she took the purse she did not steal it. The taking it was

A SIMPLE ACT OF CURIOSITY; but hearing her mistress come sine hurriedly hid it and was caught with the terrible evidence upon her. His Honor sent her to pursue that very lively curiosity she seemed blessed with at the Workhouse for two months. By that time it is quite likely she will know something about the piace.

COURT CALENDARS-THIS DAY.

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SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM—Held by Judges Ingraham. Barnard and Cardozo.—Nos. 193, 194, 12, 198, 197, 201, 202, 293, 294, 114, 205, 203, 207, 209, 210, 211, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 221, 222, 223, 224.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—Part 1—Held by Judge Brady.—Nos. 191, 357, 171, 383, 443, 13, 37½, 377, 315, 49, 211, 25, 45, 1905, 445, 1, 1099½, 211, 433, 169, 280, 142, 176, 204, 1474, 2244, 306, 232, 342, 308, Part 2—Held by Judge Van Brunt.—Nos. 902, 58, 140, 646, 1294½, 288½, 108%, 308, 300, 1914.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—Held by Judge Barnard.—Nos. 70, 191, 127, 131, 133, 134, 135.

SUPERIOR COURT—THIAL TERM—Part 1—Held by Judge Spencer.—Nos. 183, 509, 387, 1007, 741, 1091, 1155, 243, 881, 935, 809, 605, 785, 877, 1015, 843, 563, 753.

Part 2—Held by Judge Barbour.—Nos. 12, 104, 388, 364, 396, 608, 658, 762, 1496, 806, 812, 218, 738, 850, 600.

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COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—Part 1—Held by Judge Daly.—Nos. 889, 512, 524, 961, 1405, 432, 97, 513, 843, 962, 966, 933, 30, 322, 697, 673, 866, 944, 11534, 922, 923, 327, 241, 68, 193, 825, 427, 737, 761, 151, 778, 548, 847, 936, 491, 1384, Part 2—Held by Judge Daly.—Nos. 73, 917, 865, 915, 946, 947, 644, 645, 897 1/4, 351, 646

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—Part 1—Held by MARINE COURT—181AL TERM—1817 1—Heid by Juage Curtis.—Nos. 6697, 6025, 5953, 6580, 6791, Kohler vs. Cuff. 6086, 66814, 5807. 5905, 5965, Kreischer vs. The United States Warehouse Company, Welthermer vs. Dodge, 6114, 6179, 6180, 5968. Part 2—Heid by Juage Aiker.—Nos. 5743, 5785, 5786, 5789, 6068, 6076, 6088, 6132, 6133, 6155, 6172, 6175, 6175, 6175, Part 3—Held by Judge Gross.—Nos. 6769, 6085, 6735.

RROOKLYY COURTS.

SUPREME COURT-CIRCUIT Damages Against a Railroad Company.

Before Judge Pratt. Joseph Krause, Administrator, vs. The Metropolitan Avenue Raitroad Company .- This was an action to recover \$5,000 damages for the loss of plaintin's child. a little girl aged five years. It appears the plainat the girl aged live years. It appears the plain-tiff sent the child on an errand, and in crossing the defendant's track the child stumbled and fell, when an approaching car passed over her, killing her almost instantly. The defendants claimed that the little girl was old enough to take care of herself, and it was through her carelessness that she lost her life. The jury rendered a verdict for the plaintiff for \$2,500.

The Fall of Old Hamilton Market. Theresa Mullen, by Guardian, vs. Samuel R. St. John, Jarvis Johnson and William Schier.—This

case was brought to recover \$5,000 for injuries to the plaintiff, a little girl about five years, caused by the falling of Hamilton Market. The jury brought in a sealed verdict, in which they assessed damages to plaintiff at \$1,350.

CITY COURT.

One Way to Get a Carnet. Before Judge McCue.

Thomas J. Kernan sued John Francis for \$1,000 damages in the City Court, before Judge McCue yesterday, for alleged trespass. Kernan claimed that he bought a carpet from Jim Edyer, a man who, according to the evidence of detective Videtto had already served a term in the State Prison. Edyer it appears bought the carpet in Pebruary last and had it delivered at a "ience" in Tillary, near Prince street. Here Edyer and Kernan had been waiting for the carpet to come, and after its delivery Kernan and Edyer cared it away to the house of the former in South Brookivn. Edyer failing to pay for the property, as he agreed to, the aid of the police was called in, and after a careful search officers Smith and Statery, of the Third precint, found the property in Kernan's housea nd found Edyer's shoes in the yard. Justice Delmar investigated the matter, and finally gave an order for the delivery of the property to Mr. Francis, who is a furniture dealer in Myrtle avenue, corner Lawrence street. Kernan claimed that he bought the carpet, and sued, as stated, for \$1,000. Counsell r Keady, who appeared for the defence, elicited the fact, however, that this was a put up job by Kernan and Edyer, and after a brief charge by Judge McCue the jury gave a verdiet for the defendants, For the defendants, P. Keady; for the plaintiff, Robert Johnstone. The police have had a warrant for the arrest of Edyer since the occurrence took place, but that enterprising gentleman cannot be found. had already served a term in the State Prison. COURT OF APPEALS CALENDAR.

ALBANY, June 20, 1871.
The following is the Court of Appeals day calendar for June 21:—Nos. 309, 324, 327, 328, 330, 331, 286, 332.

CHINESE MURDER IN SAN FRANCISCO—CHUNG TOY KILLS AH NIM.—A murder was committed between three and four o'clock in the afternoon, in the basement of No. 425 Commercial street, near Battery, and the victim was a Cumsman named An Nim, a cook employed by the Yut Lung cigar manufactory, which is located just above the basement. It appears that Nim went down into the basement for the purpose of obtaining some pieces of tebacco boxes for kindling wood, when a few words passed between himself and another Chinaman named Chung Toy, who was at work there, and finally Toy pieced up a piece of a tobacco case, about four feet long, one inch thick and several inches wide, with which estruck Nim over the head several times, rendering him unconscious. Nim was taken to his room upstairs, where, at six o'clock, he died of the injuries he had received. As soon as it was ascertained that Nim was dead some of his countrymen notified the police. Captain Douglass and officer Ryan proceeded at once to the cigar factory, where they arrested Toy on a charge of murder. The Coroner was informed of what had transpired, and he caused the body to be removed to the locad House where an inquest will be held. There is no outward mark of violence on the person of deceased, except as sight scratch on the right side of the forehead.—
San Francisco Morning Call, June 13.

A PRESENT TO THE POPE. On Tuesday week the aum of 300 in gold, contributed entirely by the children of St. Francis de Sales Sunday school, in Boston, was sent as their give to the Pope, together with an address signed by names, expressive of their devotion and symp. The Holy See. TOMBS POLICE COURT.

A Thief Against His Will-Joint High Junketing Difficulty-A Bank Runner Who Ran Too Fast - The Missing Bond - A Lawyer Looking for a Case-No Honesty Among Thieves.

Before Judge Hogan. Amos F. Eno complained that a quantity of India rub er, worth twenty-eight dollars, the property of Russell, Hoadley & Co., was stolen by William Wilson and William Chapman. Both of these men were employed by Eno at the time the theft was commit-Wilson confessed that, in company W the Chap-

and sold it to Patrick Dunn, who, paid Chapman fourteen dollars for it, and they then divided the spoils. Eno further charged Lunn with buying the merchandise, knowing it to be stolen. The young man Wilson, who seemed to feel the posttion he had placed himself in very much, also stated that he had stolen at various times pro-perty to the amount of \$300. All this he had sold to Dunn at the rate of twenty-five cents a pound, while in reality it was worth fifty. Wilson was admitted to ball, but the others were locked up, and as they were conveyed to their new premises the junketing ruober man melted into tears. The sott-heartedness of the old man struck John Cuthbert all of a heap; for in the mildest manner possible he complained that there had bonds of the value of \$150, the property of J. H. Cunningham. These bonds were stolen by George Colon, a young man seventeen years of age, who lives at 238 Graham avenue, Williamsburg. Colon was an employe of Cutnbert's, at 38 Burling slip. He had been been stolen from him United States Treasury

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to the German-American Eank, and instead of depositing the entire amount he put the fifty dollars in his pocket and placed the balance in the bank. Colon pleaded guilty and was held.

An examination was held in the case of Leon, who was caught with the missing bond of the Park Savings Bank, Brooklya, in his possession. Richard Olimstead, of Flatbush, Long Island, president of the bank, stated that a tin box containing bonds of various denominations, amounting in value to \$10,000, had been stolen by John Leon, from the fact that the bond now shown was sold by him to Nathan Beers; the number of which bond had been changed from 1,019 to 1,477, and no such bond as the latter had ever been issued by the Comptroller.

The president said he knew the bond shown and had often handled it. Richard F. But, of the Comptroller's office, recognized the bond as one stolen from the Park Savings Bank; the number, 1,477, is not the proper one. That number belongs to a \$5,000 bond. The prisoner answered that his name was John Leon, a native of Poland, and residing at No. 206 West Thirteenth sire t.

HE WAS A BROKER,
and had been given this bond by a man at the Stevens house, some time since, to sell for him. This man's name was Wilkinson, and the prisoner had met him at the hotel on the 17th of June. He took the bond to several well known brokers, and finally he was recommended to Beers & Edwards for the purpose of disposing of it. There he was arrested. He knows nothing of Wilkinson, nor has he seen him since the time he got the bond.

Another of these disgraceful cases of imposition comes from the Interior. A woman named Ann Armstrong complained to Justice Hogan yesterday morning that

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SHE WAS LOCKED UP
on Saturday on a charge of disorderly conduct. Wanting to get out, she asked a lawyer named McClelland what he would charge to effect her liberation. He answered twenty dollars, but afterwards consented to do it for ten dollars. Mr. Kintzing, his partner, then went to the clerk of the Court to ascertain what disposition had been made of the case. The clerk told him she was fined ten dollars, and that the money would have to be paid, as the release of the woman could not be procured on the writ. The lawyers, instead of paying the fine with the woman's ten dollars, wrote to Judge Cox, who had committed her, and in the meantime she was let out. She made a disturbance about her money, and Judge Hogan called the attention of McClelland to the affair. He told the woman to come to his odice and he would return it to her.

THE SANGER MURDERERS' TRIAL.

Horton and Griffin Acquitted by the Jury-Court Room Crowded and Great Excite-

BRIDGEPORT, June 20, 1871. This trial, which has occupied the time of the court for the past week, was closed this morning alter able arguments by State Attorney Nelson J. White and S. B. Sumner for prosecution, Mr. Seymour and D. B. Lockwood for defence. The Judge occupied about an hour and a quarter in his charge, in which all the important evidence bearing on the case was reviewed and every legal point explained. The jury were out two hours, caming into court at about four o'clock this afternoon. Amid the most breathiess silence the clerk called the roll, each piror answering to his name and rising at the same time. The Judge, in a low, solemn tone of voice, asked them it they had agreed upon a verdict. The foreman replied that they had not, but resulted for foreman replied that they had not not but required fur-ther enlightenment as to a certain point. Judge Carpenter made explanation, and after a further absence of twenty minutes brought in their verdict

absence of twenty minutes brought in their verdict of Not GUILTY.

The court room was crowded to its utmost capacity and these words had screely been pronounced when a mighty shout went up from the multimake which threatened to raise the roof of the building. The Sheriff, with difficulty, restored order, and, amid congratulations of counsel and numerous rirends, the prisoners, who had been held in durance vile for the past four weeks, were set at liberty, happier, and, we hope, wiser men. The greatest interest has been manifested in the case from the outset, and this unlooked-for result is the subject of peculiar comment. The trial has been an imparital one, counsel being allowed the fullest latitude in the matter of witnesses and legal rights, and with such ability as was displayed throughout by the profession on both sides the people of Connecticut need fear no danger at the hands of those appointed to mete out justice. Peter S. Gillis, the murderer of Gregory, will be tried at the August term, in this city.

John Lucas and William Van Rensselaer, of Gloversville, N. Y., went to Howe's circus on Saturday night, accompanied by two females, one of them a married woman, not the wife of either of the men. At the close of the exhibition these parties walked about in various localities until one o'clock on Sunday morning, when they encountered Marcus Dye, a young man, twenty-two years of age, in company with one George C. Berry. Both of these parties with one George C. Berry. Both of these parties were intoxicated. Dye and Berry made an effort to get the females away from Lucas and Van Rensselaer, when an altercation ensued. Dye had a bowie knife and stungshot in his possession. As he approached Lucas with the evident intention of striking him with one or both of these weapons, Lucas shot him through the heart, killing him instantly, Lucas was arrested soon alterward. A coroner's inquest was held yesterday morning over Dye's body, and the jury found that Marcus Dye came to his death from the effects of a pistol in the hands of John Lucas. The Coroner committed Lucas to jail to await the action of the Grand Jury. Dye was a laborer, a single man and addicted to the use of liquor. This is said to be the first murder ever committed in Fulton county. Dye had a difficulty with Lucas in the evening before they went to the circus, while in front of the Mason House. After the circus was over Dye and Berry followed Lucas and his companions, making insulting remarks. They got hold of Lucas, but after a short struggle outside parties separated them. Lucas and his party passed on, while Dye and Berry ran around the block, neaded them off and attacked them again. Dye had Lucas by the throat and choked him several times before Lucas shot him. The punic generally sympathize with Lucas, and regret that he did not also kill Berly, who is a hard customer. Lucas is anout twenty-three years of age, a glove cutter by occupation. were intoxicated. Dye and Berry made an effort to

At a meeting of the New York Central Underground Railway Company, held yesterday at No. 52 Wall street, the following gentlemen were elected to serve for the ensuing year:-Oliver W. Barnes, President; Charles J. Canda, Secretary; E. M. Jerome, Treasurer; directors, William B. Ogden, Charles G. Cornell, LeGrand B. Lockwood, Thomas A. Scott, William Hodge, Henry Smith, Charles J. Canda, Thomas Rutter, E. M. Jerome, R. J. S. White, T. V. Allis and Joseph Richardson.

Mr. E. H. Tracy, Cinef Engineer of the Department of Public Works, and General Q. S. Glimore, United States army, have been appointed consulting engineers on the construction of the contemplated Vinduct Rallway.

New York Ku Klux Punished.—On the night of the 25th of July of last year a party of men entered the house of John Curtis, in the town of Cohocton, Steuben county, N. Y., and fordbly took Mr. Curtis and Miss Carrie Dawson therefrom, and administered to them a coat of far and feathers. Miss Dawson was the school teacher in that district and Mr. Curtis was one of the trustees. Seth Hill, Henry Hugner, Elmer Wheeler, Adelbert Jones, Eleazer Bentley, John Ferris, Perry Briggs and John Lord were indicted for the outrage. They were tried at the Court of Sessions neid in Bath last week, and Hill, Hugner, Wheeler, Jones and Bentley were found guity, and each was sentenced to six months in the County Jail, which takes them to the Work House. Ferris was found guity, but in his case sentence was reserved. Briggs and Lord were found not guity.

lish Stockholders.

THE REF GENCE DRAWING TO A CLOSE.

the reference before Mr. Kenneth G. White, the Master, in regard to the 60,000 shares of Eric stock claimed by Heath and Raphael, the English shareholders, to be their property, was resumed yester-day. This reference has been now going on for exactly three months; but the last of it has not neen heard yet. It may go on for some little while longer, if Erie desires to stir up the history of "those

Same counsel have appeared on either side during the reference.

Mr. John Swan, an attorney, whose residence is in London, has been in constant attendance at the reference all through, watching the proceedings in the interest of Heath and Raphael.

At the commencement of the proceedings yester-day Mr. Beach stated to the Master that at about six o'clock last evening Mr. Gould was served with the large bundle of papers on the table and a notice of motion to be made on Saturday before the Court for an order requiring him to show cause why he should not either return thirty thousand shares is-sued on the credit of three millions of convertible bonds or make good the default. His Honor would see that it was impossible for counsel to attend to those two matters at once, and such a motion would invalidate the action of the Master and set aside the purpose he sought to obtain under the order of reference granted by the Court. The notice was premature, but he would ask an adjournment, so as to be able to look through the papers.

Mr. Southmayd, in reply, said the last motion day would be Saturday next, and if the Court could not hear it then, it could not be heard till fall. Air Gould, no doubt, would like the matter to go over

The master declined to adjourn, stating that Mr. Beach had better examine the witnesses he had

Counsel for Erie then offered in evidence the min utes of the Board of Directors of Erie, of the 15th day of April, 1870. Mr. Southmayd objected to this as irrelevant and

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Ar. Southmayd objected to this as irrelevant and incompetent.

Ar. Beach said the object of introducing this evidence was to enable the master to determine upon the validity of the stock in question.

Counsel then said Judge Blatchford had made an order on the 11th of March, 1871, directing that 60,00 shares of Erie stock should be delivered to Heath and Raphael. Counsel now contended that an attempt was made by the Erie Company, under color of a bylaw made by nine gentiemen connected with Erie, to avoid this order by introducing a brlaw never before puolished, but which had reference to the trans.er of stock.

The Master, in some brief but pointed remarks, recalled the attention of counsel to the matters stated in the order of the Court to which the reference was to be confined—namely, to anything which bore in any way upon the history and possession of the stock in question. He ruled out the offer of counsel for Erie to introduce the minute book in evidence, and also a copy of one of the bylaws of Erie hiving reference to the transfer of stock, in connection with one of the certificates in higainon, for the purpose of snowing that the certificates were issued in conformity with that law. Exceptions were taken to these rulings.

Mr. John Swan, a solicitor, residing at London, England, was examined by Mr. Lane, on behalf of Erie. He was questioned as to whether he knew if R. L. Heath and Henry L. kaphael were ever, at any time, owners of any of the stock in question. Counsel for Heath and Raphael objected, and the Master ruled out this question, as also others bearing on the same subject. Counsel for Erie excepted to these rulings.

Mr. Louis A. Von Hofman deposed that a clerk of his delivered these 60,000 certificates of shares of Erie stock at the Erie office; he had a list of these shares, which he gave to Mr. Southmayd.

Counsel said be had this hist locked up in a safe in his office, and would have it here.

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THE INDIANS.

cape from His Captors.

FORT SILL, Indian Territory, June 8, 1871. This morning the Fourth United States cavalry left here for Jacksburough, Texas, where they were to turn over to the civil authorities of Texas the three Kiowa chiefs who killed six and burned two three Kiowa chiefs who killed six and burned two white men in Texas last month. When about half a mise from Fort Satank the braves of the turee slipped his handcuffs, drew a concealed kinfe and stabbed the corporal in charge of the prisoners. The guard at this commenced firing at the indian, who was shot five times, killing him instantly. During the firing a teamster was shot, but he will recover. It is thought the Indians will try to release the prisoners before they get into Texas.

NATIONAL MUSICAL CONGRESS.

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The third annual meeting of the National Musical
Congress commenced to-day in the Music Hall, Dr. L. H. Southard, President of Peabody Academy Baltimore, presiding, in the absence of Presiden

its success in cultivating a taste for a higher gradits success in cultivating a taste for a higher grade of music. He hoped to see a legislative enactment making musical education compulsory in the common schools throughout the State. The good effect of music on the elucation of the young was seen in the State reformatory and correctional institutions, where it had been proved that the baton of the music teacher had proved more effectual than the rod of the master.

Committees were appointed and other preliminary business done, and the meeting a jurned till to-morrow.

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In the afternoon a grand concert was given by a chorus of 1,000 voices and eminent soloists, assisted by an orchestra and the great organ.

ROLD BANK RORTERY Between one and two o'clock on Saturday after

noon a man came into the Gloversville (Fulton county, N. Y.) Bank and inquired now large a gov ernment stamp it was necessary to affix to a mort gage for \$1,000. The teller replied, "A one-dolla gage for \$1,003. The teller replied, "A one-dollar stamp," The man thanked him and stepped back from the counter to a small desk, to make way for other parties had been waited on the man approached the teller's desk and said he observed that the bank advertised "Northern Pacific Railroad bonds for saie," and engaged the teller in conversation about railroad securities, making a special inquiry in regard to the value of Fonda, Johnstown and Gloveraville Railroad bonds as an investment. The teller gave him all the information in his power. After jurther conversation on various subjects the stranger thanked the teller for the information received and left the bank. While the teller was thus engaged a second party, who way, without doubt, the "pai" of the inquisitive stranger, obtained access to the vanit of the bank and succeeded in abstracting from it available funds to the amount of \$15,000, and about \$10,000 worth of North Carolina coupon and other bonds. The robbery was not discovered until two or three hours after it had been committed, when the alarm was immediately given. An effort was made to notify the police at Fonda, but the robbers were sharp enough to cross the telegraph wires, cutting the Gloversville office out of the circuit. When the officers reached fonda they found that two men, one answering the description of the person who conversed with the bank teller, had engaged a horse at a livery stable to go to Gloversville, had been gone long enough to drive there, and had returned the horse to the stable. This is the only cine yet obtained which we are permitted to make public at present. Officers from Fution county were in consultation with our police authorities on Saturday evening. stamp." The man thanked him and stepped back

A Negro Woman's Will.—A poor colored woman in New Haven recently bequeathed between \$2,000 and \$3,000—money she had saved by a life of toil in washing and scrubbing—to educate any poor colored student who might enter Yale Divinity School to become a preacher; and if no colored student is presented, then the money may be applied for the benefit of a white student.

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Married. FORRE: MREKER. On Tuesday, June 20, at the

THE ERIE RAILWAY WAR.

Jay Gould Called Upon to "acimburse the English S'ackholders.

Abercrombte, of Rahway, N. J., Oharles S. Forrest to Kate G., daughter of Samuel A. Meeker, Esq., all of Woodbridge, N. J.

FROISETH—Anderson.—On Thursday, June 8, in Brooklyn, by the Rev. C. H. Hail, pastor of the Church of the Holy Trinity, Bersardo A. M. Proiseth, civil engineer, of St. Paul, Minn., to Miss-Jennie Anderson, of Flushing, L. I. No cards.

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HUNT—WILSON.—On Taursday, June 15, at the residence of Alexander Wilson. Esq., by the Rev. Charles K. Indrie, D. D., Josian C. Hunt to Annis E. Wilson, all of Jersey City.

MACY—EMERY. In Brooklyn, on Tuesday, June 20, by the Rev. A. P. Putnam, of the Church of the Saviour, Mr. Charles T. Macy to Miss Clara J. Emery, ado; ted daughter of Mr. James W. Emery, all of Brooklyn.

PHETERIRE—WRIGHT.—On Tuesday, June 20, by the Rev. J. S. Willis, George Preterre, of this city, to Emma, daughter of Edward Wright, of Agawam, Mass.

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Salve—Jewell.—On Thursday, June 3, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Dr. Wiswall, John M. Salve, Jr., to Miss Adele Jewell., both of this city.

Strong—Marten.—At the residence of the bride's parents. on Monday, June 12, by the Rev. M. D'O. Crawford, Charles H. Strong to Jennis O. Marten, eldest daughter of Thomas A. Marten, all of this city. No cards.

Van Schaick—Van Schaick.—On Tuesday, June 20, by the Rev. Dr. M. S. Hutton, at the re-idence of J. Van Schaick, Esq., No. 2 University place, Mr. William M. Van Schaick, to Miss Lizzie R., youngest daughter of the late John Van Schaick, Esq., of Albany. No cards.

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Bailey.—At Paterson, N. J., on Sunday, June 18, Sophile B. Bailey, a.e. 10 months and 2 days.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her parents, in lasper street, between Potawa and Union avenues, this (Wednesday) morning, at ten octock. The remains will reach Cypress thil Cemetry about two P. M.

Benk.—At West Hoboken, N. J., after a short illness, at the residence of his parents, corner of Barclay street and Clinton avenue, Mark Aloxobene, and the residence of his parents, corner of Barclay street and Clinton avenue, Mark Aloxobene, etc.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents, on Thurshay afternoon at three octock.

Burke.—On Sunday morning, June 10, in Boston, very suddenly, of olsease of the heart, John Burke, aged 29 years, 2 months and 30 days.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, il Elizabeth street, this (Wednesday) atternoon at one o clock. The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

Carev.—In Brooklyn, on Tuesday, June 20, James E. Carer, son of Michael and Eliza Carey, aged 3 years and 9 months.

The friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his parents, no. 85 Bergen street, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at two o'clock.

Coady.—On Monday, June 19, Abraham Coady, in the 54th year of his age.

His relatives and iriends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at half-past one o'clock. The his late residence, No. 322 East Filty-fourth street, and from thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Compron.—On Monday evening, June 19, William Compron. aged 57 years.

The Itends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 322 East Filty-fourth street, and from the residence, No. 322 East Filty-fourth street, and from the residence, Waterlord, Saratoga county, Richard D. Davis, formerly of Poughkeepsie.

The relatives and friends are respectfully inv

pose of his soul, on Thursday morning, at ten o'clock. FLINT.—On Monday, June 19, MARY LOUISA FLINT,

aged 25 years, 4 months and 10 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funera, from her late residence, 734 Sixth airect, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at two

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GAYLGAN.—On Tuesday, June 20, ELIZABETH GAY-GAN, beloved wife of Andrew Gavigan, in the 24th year of her age.

The friends of the family are respectfully requested to attend the funeral, from her take residence, corner of West avenue and Third street, Hunter's Point, on Thursday afternoon, at one o'clock.

GODDAED.—On Monday, June 19, ELIZABETH, wife of John Goddard, aged 45 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from the Church of the Redeemer, corner of Fourth avenue and Eighty-second street, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at one o'clock.

HALLOCK.—On Tuesday, June 20, EUNICK, widow of Limus Hallock, in the 74th year of her age.

The relatives and friends, also the members of Mosaic Lodge, No. 418, F. and A. M., are invited to attend the funeral services, at the residen e of her son, Daniel L. Hallock. No. 164 West Thirty-sixin street, on Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock.

HENNELEY.—On Monday, June 19, Michael, the 80n of John and Ann Henneley, aged 24 years, 11 months and 28 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 35 Green lane, this (Wednesday) atternoon, at half-past two o'clock.

HITAFF.—On Tuesday, Jane 13, John Hanry Huraff, at Rochester, Michigan, formerly of this

HUTAFF.—On Tuesday, June 13, John Hanry HUTAFF, at Rochester, Michigan, formerly of this city, aged 53 years and 5 months. The family mourn his loss. city, aged 53 years and 5 months. The family mourn his loss.

Jones—At his residence, in Metuchen, N. J., on Tuesday morning, June 20, Henry Homer Jones, aged 32 years.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, on Taursday afternoon, at three o'clock. Train leaves Cortlandt street ferry, New York, at one o'clock.

KELLY.—On Sunday evening, June 18, Patrick F. Kelly, aged 28 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, 29 Scammel street, this (Wednesday) alternoon, at two o'clock.

Malone.—On Monday, June 19, Mary Ann Malone. aged 23 years.

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The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, 442 West Forty-second street, this (Wednesday) alternoon, at one o'clock.
MEAD.—On Monday, June 19, IDA, daughter of William and the late Susanna Mead, aged 6 years and 8 months. and 6 months.

The relatives and friends of the family are respect-

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The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her father, 653 Greene avenue, Brooklyn, on Thursday atternoon, at two o'clock.

MULLEN,—On Sunday, June 1s, drowned five miles from Bridgeport, Johns MULLEN, maie of schooner C. H. Delamarter, of Washington, South River, N. J., age about 30 years; dressed in red sa. k blouse, with overcoat and heavy Loots, sewed up the leg with twine.

Capiain of C. H. Delamarter, South River, N. J. RICKMAN.—On Monday, June 19, Mrs. ANN RICKMAN, widow of James Rickman, in the Sist year of her age.

The relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, at the residence of her son-inlaw, William Rowland, 230 West Eleventh street, this (Wednesday) morning, at half-past eleven o'clock. The remains will be taken to treenwich, Conn., for interment.

RUNNEIT.—At a special meeting of the Baxter Hop Association, held at the Sinciair House, No. 754 Broadway, on Tuesday, the 20th day of June, 1871, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

Whereas, it has pleased the great Disposer of Events to remove from our midst our late associate, William H. Runnett, and

unanimously adopted:—
Whereas, it has pieased the great Disposer of Events to remove from our midst our late associate, William H. Runnett, and Whereas, we, his companions for many years, deem it our solemn duty to express in a solemn manner our great sorrow at this his sudden demise; therefore be it Resolved, That this Association, in the death of William H. Runnett, has lost one of its most zealous members, and we seem gently and the most zealous members, and we seem and companion, a warmhearted and generous friend.

Resolved, That we, who were upon terms of intermacy with him, can bear testimony to the many noble qualities which adorned his life and made aim the true riend, the fond associate and the orother of our hearts.

Resolved, That we tender to his bereaved mother and relatives our heartiest sorrow and sympathy in this, the sad hour of their anhelion, with the comforting hope that "he is not dead, but sleepeth," and will rise in that better land where there shall be no more parting forever.

Resolved, That we attend the funeral in a body, and that the foregoing resolutions be entered at length upon the immutes and an engrossed copy of the exame, properly attested, be sent to the family of the deceased.

CHARLES F. ALLEN, President.

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CHARLES F. ALLEN, President.

James Bruce, Jr., Secretary.

Shaddle.—In Jersey City, on Tuesday, June 20, of heart disease, Charlotte widow of John Shaddle, in the 7sth year of her age.

Kelatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the nuneral, on Thursday atternoon, at two o'clock, from the residence of her son in-law, James M. Clark, 251 South Fifth st.eet, Jersey City.

Shaddle.—On Tuesday, June 20, Henry, youngest son of Margaret an the late letter Shand, aged 8 years and two months.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his mother, 254 West Filteenth street, on Thursday, atternoon, at two o'clock.

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STAPLES.—On Monday morning, June 19, Robert
LEWIS, son of Robert and Dborah Sctaples, in the
16th year of his age.
The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the
residence of his parents, 118 East Turty-direct,
this (Wednesday) afternoon, at two O'clock.